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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Robert A. Matousek et al.  
Serial No.: 10/620,409  
Filed: July 15, 2003  
Examiner: Nathan Scott Mammen  
Group Art Unit: 3671  
Docket No.: 17237  
Title: *Impeller with Swept Back Blades for a Tailings Conveyor of an Agricultural Combine*

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: